

Differences Between High School And College



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Law is the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act or IDEA.	Laws are Americans with Disabilities Act or ADA and Section 504 and 508 of the Rehabilitation Act.
IDEA is about success.	ADA is about access.
Core modifications of classes and materials are required.	NO modifications are required- only accommodations.
Education is a RIGHT and must be accessible to you.	Education is NOT a right. Students must apply to attend.
School district must identify disability.	Student must self-identify.
School district develops Individual Education Plans (IEPs) to determine schools plan.	Student must identify needs and ask for services. NO IEP exists and is not considered legal documentation.
School district provides free evaluations.	Student must obtain evaluations at their own expense.
Student is helped by parents and teachers.	Student must get help from Disability Services Office.
School is responsible for arranging for accommodations.	Student must self-advocate and arrange for accommodations.
Personal care services are required.	No personal care services are required.
Parent has access to student records.	Parent has no access to student records without students written consent.

